GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Signalling Equipment in Railways
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have awarded contract towards making the signalling equipment at the Himmatnagar-Udaipur section under the gauge conversion project of Ahmedabad-Himmatnagar-Udaipur;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the amount proposed to be spent for this purpose; and

(d) the time by which the services are likely to be made operationalised by the Railways?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) No, Madam.
(b) Does not arise.
(c) As per sanctioned estimate, 58.52 crore is proposed to be spent for signalling equipments.
(d) Completion of a railway project is dependent upon funds available, acquisition of land, statutory clearances like forestry and wild life clearances, shifting of services, cutting of trees, construction of road over bridges and road under bridges by road maintaining agencies etc. Since many of these factors are beyond the control of Ministry of Railways, time line for completion of this project has not been fixed.
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